SIMS, OF TENN.,

Wants House to Go Squarely on Record Regarding President's Action.

WRONG, IMPEACH HIM

The President, He Says, Disciplined the Troops, But Did Not Punish Them.

WASHINGTON, January 26.-Representative Sims, of Tennessee, wants the House to get squarely on record in favor of the President for his action in dismissing three companies of the Twentymissing three companies of the Twenty-fifth Infantry from the military service of the United States. He said to-day in the lower branch of Congress that by a unanimous vote of the Tennessee Legis-lature the President's course was en-dorsed, and he had therefore introduced dorsed, and he had therefore introduced a joint resolution, commending the President in his position. He said the resolution had been referred to the Military Affairs Committee, which he believed would act upon the resolution. If it should not, he would ask that the committee be discharged, and he would bring the whole matter before the House for discussion.

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"In another body of Congress," Mr. Sime asserted, "an ambiguous resolution has passed which challenged the propriety, if not the authority, of the President take the action he did. In the debates his constitutional authority had been challenged."

lenged."

If the President had exceeded his constitutional authority, said Mr. Sims, he was subject to impeachment, and such proceedings must be commenced in the House of Representatives.

In view of the resolution passed by the Senate, neither admitting nor denying the Presidency authority, but simply needed.

President's authority, but simply provid-ing for an investigation of the facts, Mr. Sims thought it proper that the House should express itself.

It was not his purpose, Mr. Sims as-serted, to discuss the punishment of the discharged soldiers; that question should not be considered in connection with the matter. "The action of the President was a matter of punishment, but as a matter of discipline."

POSTAL CLERKS TO GET INCREASE

Virginians Will Get \$175,000 More Than Last Year.

[From Our Regular Correspondent.] WASHINGTON, D. C., January 25,— Virginia will get abut \$175,000 out of the increased salaries which railway postal Virginia will get abut \$15,000 out of the increased salaries which railway postal clerks, rural tree delivery carriers, clerks in first and second-class post-offices, and letter-carriers will get under the next postal appropriation bill, if the plans of the House Committee on Post-offices and Post Roads do not miscarry.

The principal item of this will be the \$150,000 which the rural free delivery carriers are scheduled to get. There are some \$20 carriers in the State, according to the Blue Book of the United States, and most of them will come in for an increase of \$120 a year.

Second in importance is the list of \$90 railway postal clerks who were appointed from Virginia. They will each got an increase of \$100 a year, which will give the Virginia clerks alone some \$20,000 a year. The total increase to the railway postal clerks of the country.

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will be nearly a million and a half will be nearly a million and a half a year.

In the first and second class post-offices there are some 250 clerks and some 250 letter-carriers who will come in for approximately \$100 increase each per year. Each class will get an increase of approximately \$5,000 a year. Richmond has some seventy clerks and some seventy letter-carriers. Norfolk has some fifty of each class. Lynchburg has some twenty of each class, and Bristol has nine of each, according to the most recent edition of the Blue Book.

COTTON EXCHANGE TO BE INVESTIGATED

Georgia and Texas Representatives Ask for an Investigation.

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 26.—
Representatives Livingston, of Georgia, and Burleson, of Texas, together, latroduced a resolution in the House to-day directing the Bureau of Corporations of the Department of Commerce and Labor to make an investigation of the New York Cotton Exchange. The scope of the investigation is to be "the organization, capitalization, profit, conduct and management of the business of said New York Cotton Exchange and its managing board, or of said corporation or corporate combinations." The investigation is to be with the view of ascertaining whether the fluctuation "and unnatural depression in the price of cotton is due to any combination or conspiracy which interferes with commerce among the several States, and as to whether prices have been manipulated on the New York Cotton Exchange." WASHINGTON, D. C., January 26 .-

ANCHORAGE MARKS FOR HAMPTON ROADS

Getting Ready for the Foreign Fleet Which Will Visit Exposition.

WASHINGTON, January 28.—Rear-Admiral P. F. Harrington, United States Navy, has submitted to the Navy Department an estimate of \$15,000 for placing additional anchorage marks in Hampton Roads, as part of the general plan to have Hampton Roads and the adjacent waters ready by the middle of April to receive the foreign fleets coming to the Jamestowa Exposition. The work includes the placing of pile beacons and marking the buoys, the publication of an anchorage chart and rules of anchorage and other important preparations of the same kind.

BAD SEED CIMES

WASHINGTON, January 26.-With a WASHINGTON, January 25.—With a score of small bottles before him containing seeds of various grasses, Representativa Mann, of Illinois, to-day delivered a speech on the subject of "Seed Adulterations" in the House. Mr. Mann stated that the Canadian government perest known adulterants, dodder and catchly, and dilated at length upon their characteristics. Of 352 samples of alfalfa seed purchased

in the open market, 199, or nearly one half, were found to contain dodder seed. Of 521 samples of red clover seed obtained in the same way, 116, or over 22 per cent., contained seed of dodder.

Mr. Mann said that two samples of red clover seed, representing about 10,000 pounds, recently imported from Canada, were all practically the seed of catchfly, one of the commonest and worst clover weeds in the country to the North. He made the direct charge that a large proportion of the low-grade seed, containing weed seeds and dead seeds, offered for sale in the United States, was imported from Europe and Canada. "Canada," he said, "has a very strict seed inspection law, preventing the sale in that country of seed containing any of a long list of prohibited weed seeds.

"The law, however, contains a clause encouraging the export of those prohibited seeds. If that law," remarked Mr. Mann, "could be framed, which will prohibit the importation of and interstate commerce in seed containing weed seeds and lead seeds, much good can be done." n the open market, 160, or nearly one half, were found to contain dodder seed

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THE PRESIDENT

USES BIS STICK

Congress comes to pass upon the instru-

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It is rumored that the message of the President to the Oklahoma convention as sent in response to a surgestion made by certain parties in New York that he give some sort of assurance to the country that it was not his purpose to attack all railway corporations, and thus reassure railway and capitalistic interests generally. In short, the President has been asked to differentiate between "good trusts" and "bad trusts."

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It would seem rather strained to say the President's message is in reply to the request for declaration as to good and bad trusts.

It would not be strained to say the message is without precedent in the history of the White House and the couptry.

Five Mill Hands Burned to Death and Loss Half a Million.

MADE ESCAPE DOWN ROPES

Daring Rescues by Firemen of Four Imprisoned Men Were Notable.

DOVER, N. H., January 26 .- Dover's most disastrous fire, which occurred to-day, cost the lives of four, and probably five, young mill operatives and a property loss of half a million dollars. The fire destroyed mill No. 1 of the Cocheco Manufacturing Company. The bodles of

Manuacturing Company. The bodies of four boys, charred beyond hope of identification, were found in the smoking ruins, and as five boys are known to be missing, it is believed that another body will be discovered.

The missing boys are:

Charles Cosgrove, aged sixteen years;
Constantine Elopulous, aged sixteen years; John Nicholopulous, aged fifteen years;

Redden, aged fifteen years;
Hester, aged fifteen years;

Several of the injured were hurt while

Several of the injured were hurt while descending by ropes.

The fire broke out in the mill not long after the 500 or more operatives fad assembled for their day's work.

Friction from a belt generated sparks, which lodged in a mass of cotton, and the flames quickly spread throughout the building. The exits soon became blocked by a struggling mass of mill hands, and many were obliged to jump from the windows. Others secured ropes and descended to the ground.

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There were several daring rescues by firemen. Four imprisoned men on the fourth floor were taken out of a window, though not until they had climbed one by one down a stout pole, which the firemen had made fast to the top of a ladder too short to reach the window sill. The total loss is \$50,000, covered by insurance.

SHOPLIFTERS GET

with him went several well-filled valises. Meagre information by the po-lice is to the effect that several trunks and bags have been shipped away by

Plea of Defense.

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Opium, the poisoning and brain-wrecking fumes of which he constantly inhaled, was the excuse offered by Mahler for his multifarious stealing. He pleaded guilty, through his counsel, Mr. Harry Glenn, to all the charges, and the argument of the attorney was that the man was mentally a wreck, and was not responsible for his actions when he stole the goods. The woman was his subject, the goods. The woman was his subject, his slave, and while she might have been cognizant of the thetis, she was power-

his slave, and while she might have been conzizant of the thetts, she was power-less to prevent them.

Mr. Glenn spoke eloquently for the woman. He said that she was innocent; that she was the dupe perhaps of the man, and that her punishment had already been sufficient.

Replying to the argument of the attorney for the defense, Mr. Minetree Folkes, Commonwealth's Attorney, parenthetically referred to the Burton case, where the women had been dismissed and the man had been punished.

"The punishment of this woman," he declared, "should be commensurate with her crime. The merchants of Richmond have been imposed upon by this clover pair of swindlers and shoplifters, and however much we of the South ever-womanhood and regret to see any woman in trouble, we must not devlate from the law, which is made for both man and woman alike. This woman is a frail creature, and I do not want to see her punished too severely, but I do say that it is the duty of this court to convict her of two offenses. It has been clearly proven that she stole from two places, and she should suffer for her crimes."

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Of the nineteen charges against the man and woman only one was lost by the Commonwealth. This was the charge of stealing a pair of shoes from the Dab.

of stealing a pair of shoes from the Dab-ney-Johnson Company. It was not clearly proven that the shoes had been stolen, and for this reason the doubt was given to the prisoners. Nineteen charges were made, and of this number eighteen result-

> SOME PEOPLE KNOW The Facts About Coffee.

Perhaps you know coffee contains the same kind of a drug as cocaine, mor-phine, strychnine-an alkaloid? Perhaps you know tea contains the

Perhaps you know tea contains the same thing, and that neither coffee nor tea are foods?

Foods are necessary to do two things: Repair tissue waste from day to day and furnish the individual vital heat and energy. Tea and coffee do not do the first, and only make believe they do the last.

last.

A N. Y. lady found out the cause of her and her husband's trouble.

"Using tea and coffee from childhoo "Using tea and coffee from childhood up, it was a hard thing to give them up, but my doctor told me they were killing me. Of late years I had trouble with my head, my memory was poor and my nervous system entirely upset. At last I was forced to keep my bed.
"My husband, also, had to give up coffee—he was a nervous wreck from drinking it.
"Postum was then brought into our

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ed in conviction, seventeen misdemeanors and one felony.

Even if Mahler escapes the penitentiary on the technicality in the Hustings Court he will then be remanded back to the Police Court and will receive a sentence of from four to twelve months on the misdemeanor charge of stealing the alligator bag. In all he cannot hope to be at liberty for at least three years, and there is a possibility that other charges will be made and the time continued for a year more.

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The woman will remain in jail for six months. She refused to say where she lived in New Jersey, or what was the name of her people. Mahler declares that his wife's people are rich, and that they would come here at once if they knew the plight that she was in.

"I never stole anything in my life before I came to Richmond," said Mahler, in his call after court was over. He and his wine were crying together. He shows signs of worry, and was very nervous throughout the trial, and after he had been sentenced appeared to be very excited. It was thought that the lack of the "dope" he had been accustomed to taking was the cause of his nervous condition.

What Witnesses Said

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Mr. Schmidt, the first witness, said that his suspicions were aroused because he had seen the man leave the store once before, and had noticed that his coat

before, and had noticed that his coat buised in the back. He was very watchful, therefore, when the man and woman entered on Tuesday, and he finally caught them in the act of stealing.

Mr. Brown, of the firm of Taylor & Brown, said that the couple came into his store about 5 o'clock in the afternoon, and the man wanted to purchase a pair of dress shoes. The woman remained in the front of the store and examined a pair of pumps. After trying on several pair shoes the man finally selected one and asked that it be laid aside. It was then 5:40 o'clock, and Mr. Brown informed the man that he closed at 6.

then 5:40 o'clock, and Mr. Brown informed the man that he closed at 5. Mahler gave his name as Woodfin, and said that he would return in ten minutes. He did not return, and the next morning it was discovered that the pair of pumps the woman had been looking at were missing. The shees were found in the possession of the woman.

The following are the names of the firms who had warrants against Mahler and the woman: Bell Book and Stationery Company. Craig Art Gallery, Schwarz-Company, Craig Art Gallery, Schwarz-Company, Craig Art Gallery, Schwarz-

and the woman: Bell Book and Stationery Company, Craig Art Gallery, Schwarzschild, Herman Schmidt, Traglo Drug Company, Moses May, Greentree Bros., Miller & Rhoads, Dabney & Johnson, Cliff Weil, Miller & Rhoads, H. C. Boschen, W. S. McCoy, John Saadi, Taylor & Brown, Presbyterian Committee of Publication, Rountree Trunk Company, Rountree Trunk Company, Rountree Trunk Company (felony), Constable Brothers.

All the stolen goods were returned to the merchants after the trial of the prisoners. They said that they wanted to give back all the goods found in their room.

Letter Intercepted.

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Detective Wiltshire and Patroiman Atkinson, who arrested Mahler and recovered all the stolen goods, have in their possession a letter written to the woman by Joseph Blume, the supposed partner in crime of Mahler.

The contents of the letter, the police say, suffice to place the writer in prison under the Federal law which prohibits the sending of obscene matter through the mails. The letter is revolting. It characterizes Mahler as a "dog," and asks the woman to desert him at once. Yet this man is the person whom the woman sald was the palmist partner of her husband.

Yanes Secretary at Jamestown.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., January 26.—
Senor Barrett, of the Bureau of American Republics, has appointed Frederick
Y. Yanes, the secretary of the bureau,
as its representative on the government
board of the Jamestown Exposition in
place of William C. Fox, recently appointed minister to Ecuador. The purpose of this appointment is to insure
the Latin-American countries of this
hemisphere proper representation in this
enterprise, in which they are so peculiarly interested, by a thoroughly representative man.

Property Transfers.

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Richmond—Hazeltine and Esau Cocker to Elbert T. Davis, 33 feet on east side of Belvidere Street, between High and Rowe Streets, \$600.

Rebecca Cottrell and Samuel S. Cottrell's executors to W. D. Browning, 29 feet on east line Franklin Street, between Boyd and Birch Streets, \$1.

W. D. Browning and wife to Beverley R. Tucker, same property described in deed next above, \$3,915.

G. J. Hunt and wife to Emma Cottrell Gordon, 46 1-3 feet on north line of West Avenue, 202 2-3 feet west of Birch Street, \$5.

W. D. Browning and wife to Gilbert J. Hunt, \$2 feet on south side of Franklin Street, between Lombardy and Harrison Street, \$5.

Rebecca Cottrell and Samuel S. Cottrell's executors to same, 37 feet on south side of Franklin Street, between Henrico—Robert A. Mayo and wife to F. M. Boxley, 9.2 acres on Williamsburg Road, adjoining the lands of Robert C. Stanard and others, \$200.

David R. Connard and wife to T. P. Davie, 34 acres on James River, about ten miles west of Richmond, \$10.

J. H. Guy to Harriet M. Atkins, lot No. 40 in square 24, plan of Woodville, \$50.

C. V. Merédith, Preston Cocke, Wyndham R. Meredith and Richard I. Man-ham R. Meredith and Richard I. Man-ha

\$50, C. V. Meredith, Preston Cocke, Wyndham R. Meredith and Richard I. Manning, Jr., and wives to B. R. Catlin, 26 1-4 acres on New North Road, about 2 1-2 miles north of Richmond, \$5,250.

Lady Maccabees,

Richmond Hive, No. 3, Lady Maccabees, will hold its regular review on Tuesday at 8 P. M. in Fraternity Hall. Officers will be installed for the ensuing year and tickets will be distributed for the benefit at Bostock's to be given on Thursday, All members are invited to co-operate and make this benefit a success.

NO AWARDS YET OF THE CONTRACT

Secretary Taft Says Panama Bids Have Not Yet Been Awarded.

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 26. Secretary Taft is not yet ready to make drinking it.

"Postum was then brought into our household, and while on my sick bed idrank it, supposing it was merely as substitute for coffee. I drank it for broakfast and supper, and slowly but surely began to regain my health.

"I soon found out it was Postum that was doing the good. Now I am well, and my nerves are stronger than I ever dared hope. My husband found Postum was a great benefit to him. He is now a strong man.

"If people knew that the dreadful discasses some of them suffer from could easily be prevented by banishing that poisonous thing named coffee, and use in its stead a pure, healthful drink like Postum, I am sure there would be fewer sick and miserable creatures." Name siven by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich, Read the liftle book, "The Road to Well-ville," in pkgs. "There's a reason."

Secretary Taft is not yet ready to make any announcement respecting the award of the construction of the construction of the construction of the Panama Canal. He made this statement at the conclusion of a conference at the White House to oday. He said no announcement on the subject would be made before Monday. He declined to the President and his advisors. It is sumised that additional information is sumised that additional information is sumised that additional information is sumised that has been fully endorsed by this final action is not to be taken. In addition to the President and Secretary that there were present Secretary is stated as pure, healthful drink like Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich, Read the liftle book, "The Road to Well-ville," in pkgs. "There's a reason."

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It Was Horace Greely Who Said-

"If our hindsight were as good as our foresight, we'd be better off a blamed sight."

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Captain E. M. Hardy, of Company A, Seventeenth Regiment, stated last night that a picked team of ten marksmen from that command would go to Petersburg on the first Wednesday in February to compete with a rifle team from the command in that city for honors at the targets. The crack shots of Company A are practicing diligently, so as to be able to carry off the honors. Company A is enlisting flew men almost every drill night, several having been examined last night by Surgeon Truman A. Parker.

A WEEK'S BUSINESS.

What the City Fathers Have Be-

River Improvement will meet at 4:20, and at 8 o'clock the Water Committee will hold its regular meeting.

hold its regular meeting.

The next meetings to be held will be on Friday night, and then the Committee on Light and the Street Cleaning Committee will hold forth at 8 o'clockey.

CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

RICHMOND TENT WILL

MILITARY MATTERS.

Major C. Gray Bossieux, commanding the First battalion of the Seventeenth Regiment, has received the following letter from Major E. W. Bowles, commanding the Richmond Light Infantry Blues battalion:

"Headquarters, Richmond L. I. Blues Battalion,"

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Battallon,
"Richmond, Va., Jan. 24, 1907.

"Major C. G. Bossleux,
Commanding First Battallon,
Seventieth Virginia Infantry:
"My Dear Major,—In behalf of the
Richmond Light Infantry Blues Battallon, and of miself, I wish to express
to you the deep appreciation we feel
for the kind and generous offers of
sympathy, and the use of your military home in our time of distress.
"We have secured rooms which will
answer our needs for meeting purposes, and when our new equipment
is issued, will drill on the streets, but
we will ever be grateful for the kindtyspirit you have shown at this time.
"The people of our city, as well as
the military bodies, have come generously to our support, and I feel
that with such loyalty shown on
all sides, we shall soon be able to
take our old position as a part of
the city.
"Again thanking you for your kindness, believe me, sir,
"Gisned)
"E. W. BOWLES,
"Major Commanding."

"The Richmond Howlizers will have their

What the City Fathers Have Before Them.

The business before the City Fathers for the week ahead is enough to keep them on the go at least half the time. Monday the Committee on Streets will hold an important meeting at 5 o'clock in the afternoon. At 7:30 o'clock a subcommittee from the Electricity Committee will hold a meeting, and at 8 o'clock the Cemeteries Committee will hold a meeting. At 8 o'clock the Common Council will meet in special session.

Tuesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock the Finance Committee will meet, and at 8 o'clock a special conference to consider matters pertaining to the coming meeting in this city of the Confederate veterans will be held. The Subcommittee on James River Improvement will meet at 4:20, and The Richmond Howltzers will have their annual business meeting next Tuesday night at the armory, at which time the civil organization within the command will be elected.

The Howltzers have had a track team in training for the meet here, and the boys promise to make a fine showing. The team is being trained by Mr. R. Vaughn-Lloyd, a well-known local athlete, and are taking great interest in the work. Since the establishment of the Howltzers' gymnasium, the artillerymen are going in for athletics and gymnastics, and are deriving both pleasure and benefit.

The promotion by election of Lieutenant

Ry mond Tent. No. 4, Knights of the Ma bees, will install officers for the ens term to-morrow hight. State Com der D. W. Gall, of Washington, D. d. ill pay the tent an official visit and seven has annuers arter which the seven has banquet.

All in bers are requested to be present, as an interesting program has been prepared by the committee free will be speeches by prominent members of the order, and an enjoyable time is promised all.

identified with the dry-goods Interess of the city, has now connected hin self with the Penn Mutual Life It surance Company, of which Captai Cunningham Hall is general agent. M Price is the subject of timely congratulations from his many friend-who bespeak for him abundant success in the new field.

Music at First Baptist Church. At the service to be held at the First Baptist Church to-night the music will be under the direction of Professor Leslie Watson,

Bears the Signature Chart Hillthir:

Virginia **Trust Company**

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This Company will act as Executor or Trustee under your will, qualifies as Administrator, Guardian, etc. Acts as Registrar and Transfer Agent of Bonds and

Meetings.

AT A MEETING OF THE DIRECTORS of the BYRD TELEPHONE COM-PANY, held at Goochland Courthouse on the 22d last, the following officer:

PANY, hold at Goochland Courthouse on the 23d inst., the following officer were elected:

President, Dr. J. J. Anderson; Sovetary and Treasurer, R. A. Siddon's General Manager, J. M. Jennings.

The following resolutions were of fered by Dr. Anderson, and unanimously adopted:

The directors of the Byrd Telephon Company mourn the loss of the president, and desire to put on record some evidence of its affectional regard and esteem. Hon, F. M. Parrish is no more.

After a useful life, accommodating and helpful to the needy and les fortunate of the ommunity, always taking the advantage of an opportunity to cheer the downesst and estitute of his acquaintance, has been gathered to his fathers.

Resolved. That, while we submit humbly to the will of an all-wise Providence and deplore the loss of our president, we will ever cheer hiftendalp and memory.

Resolved, That we extend to his family our sincerfost symmatic.

Resolved, That these resolutions but on records of this company, a coppe sent to the family, and published in The Times-Dispatch.

R. A. SIDDONS.

Secretary and Treasurer, Byrd Telephone Company.

Mr. Price Changes Position. Mr. Edward D. Price, for many years K. sell

A TOWN